

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : D. Spanke Filed : 16 June 2005

Title : Filling level sensor and method for measuring

a filling level

TC/A.U. : 2856

Examiner : R. T. Frank

Docket No. : SPAN3007/FJD

Customer No. : 23364

## **RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## **Introductory Comments**

The following amendments and remarks are being submitted herewith pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.114 in conjunction with the RCE Application being filed herewith and in response to the Office Action of October 16, 2008.